

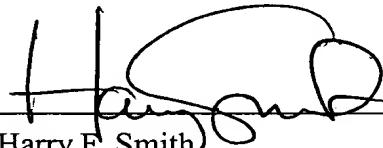
REMARKS

As requested by the Examiner, the Abstract has been shortened and directed more particularly to the claimed invention, the title has been replaced with a new title that is more descriptive of the claimed invention, and the patent information has been updated on page 1.

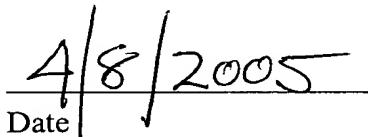
Although the action was an Ex parte Quayle action, it is proposed to amend claim 47 to correct a typographical error. The entry of this proposed amendment to the claims is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to timely send a Notice of Allowance and a Notice of Allowability. However, if all issues have not been resolved to the Examiner's satisfaction, he is invited to contact the undersigned attorney by phone or email.

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